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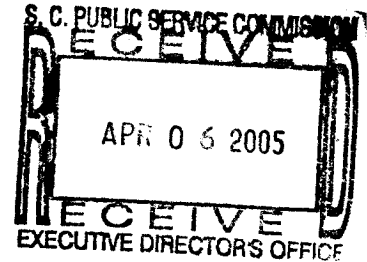
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**VIA OVERNIGHT**

April 1, 2005

Mr. Gary E. Walsh  
Executive Director  
South Carolina Public Service Commission  
Saluda Building  
101 Executive Center Dr., Suite 100  
Columbia, SC 29210



Re: XO Communications Services, Inc.- Alternative Regulation- Docket 95-661-C

Dear Mr. Walsh:

This letter serves as a request from XO Communications Services, Inc. ("XO") asking this Commission to regulate its provision of intrastate business services in accordance with the principles and procedures established for alternative regulation as set forth in Orders No. 95-1734 and No. 96-55 in Docket 95-661-C.

XO is currently providing intrastate services in the State of South Carolina pursuant to Order No. 2004-532 in Docket No. 2004-214-C.

Also enclosed is an additional copy of this filing with a self addressed stamped envelop. Please date stamped this copy and return it in the self addressed stamped envelop provided. Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact me by telephone at 703-547-2536 or by email to Kelly.faul@xo.com.

Sincerely,

Kelly Faul  
Sr. Manager, Regulatory